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FOLLOWING IS UNEDITED TRANSCRIPT FURNISHED BY THE NEW
ZEALAND DELEGATION OF FEBRUARY 26 PRESS CONFERENCE WITH PRIME
MINISTER KIRK, SENATOR WILLESEE, DEPUTY SECRETARY RUSH.

TRANSCRIPT OF PRESS CONFERENCE OF THE PRIME
MINISTER KIRK , SENATOR WILLESEE, AND SECRETARY RUSH
9:10 AM 26 FEB 1974

PRIME MINISTER: THE FIRST THING I WANT TO DO IS TO
EXTEND A VERY WARM WELCOME TO THE MINISTER OF FOREIGN
AFFAIRS FROM AUSTRALIA, SENATOR WILLESEE AND TO THE
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE, MR RUSH. WE ARE VERY
PLEASED TO BE ABLE TO MEET WITH YOU IN WELLINGTON AND
PLEASED THAT THIS ANZUS COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD
IN WELLINGTON ON THIS OCCASION. IT IS A REMINDER OF
THE MANY SHARED INTERESTS THAT THE THREE COUNTRIES
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HAVE IN THE REGION AND IT PROVIDES A USEFUL

OPPORTUNITY FOR A POLITICAL EXAM OF THE VERY CONSIDERABLE CHANGES THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN SOUTH EAST ASIA AND IN ASIA GENERALLY SINCE THE LAST MEETING OF THE COUNCIL. I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF PUBLICLY EXPRESSING OUR APPRECIATION OF THE COOPERATION OF BOTH COUNTRIES IN HOLDING A MEETING HERE I AM SURE THAT THE DISCUSSIONS THAT WE WILL HAVE TODAY AND TOMORROW WILL COVER MANY AREAS OF INTEREST TO ALL OF US AND WILL PROVIDE A USEFUL BASIS FOR DEVELOPING COOPERATION BETWEEN THE THREE COUNTRIES AND WITHIN THE REGION.

SECRETARY RUSH: THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MR PRIME MINISTER. THIS IS MY FIRST ANZUS MEETING AND ON BEHALF OF BOTH PRESIDENT NIXON AND SECRETARY KISSINGER I SHOULD LIKE TO ASSURE YOU THAT WE CONSIDER ANZUS TO BE A VERY IMPORTANT ALLIANCE. IN WHAT IS CONSIDERED AN AREA OF DETENTE IT IS OUR PRESIDENT'S FEELING, AND CERTAINLY MY FEELING, THAT WE MUST BE AS VIGILANT AND AS MILITARILY STRONG AS WE EVER HAVE BEEN. MOVING FROM CONFRONTATION TO NEGOTIATION DOES NOT MEAN THAT WE ARE MOVING FROM TWO COMPETITIVE SYSTEMS TO A HARMONIOUS SINGLE SYSTEM. QUITE THE REVERSE IS TRUE. AS CHAIRMAN BREZNEV HAS MADE QUITE CLEAR, IDEOLOGICALLY THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE SOVIET UNION. WE STILL HAVE THE COMPETITION BETWEEN THE OPEN SOCIETY AND THE CLOSED SOCIETY, AND DETENTE IS VERY STRONG AND DEPENDENT UPON THE FREE WORLD MAINTAINING AS STRONG A MILITARY RELATIONSHIP TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION AS IT WOULD HAVE IN AN AREA OF CONFRONTATION. IN ESSENCE, DETENTE OR PROGRESS TOWARDS DETENTE MEANS THAT WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO AVOID ARMS RACES IN THIS NUCLEAR AGE THAT WOULD BANKRUPT BOTH COUNTRIES YET; WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO AVOID APPROACHING THE BRINK OF NUCLEAR WAR AS HAS BEEN DONE IN THE PAST OR EVEN NUCLEAR WAR ITSELF. THAT WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO RESOLVE DIFFERENCES BY NEGOTIATION RATHER THAN BY SUCH DANGEROUS MEANS AS CONFRONTATION. BUT DIFFERENCES REMAIN, THE NEED FOR ALLIANCES REMAIN AND I FEEL AND OUR PRESIDENT FEELS THAT SUCH ALLIANCES AS ANZUS PLAY AS IMPORTANT A ROLE TODAY AS THEY EVER HAVE PLAYED.

SENATOR WILLESEE: MR PRIME MINISTER IF I COULD FIRSTLY THANK
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YOU FOR YOUR WELCOMING WORDS. IT IS A PLEASURE TO MEET WITH MR RUSH AGAIN. IT IS HIS FIRST ANZUS MEETING, ALSO MINE AND I THINK, YOURS. IT IS THE FIRST TIME IN THIS AREA WE'VE MET ON BEHALF OF TWO NEW LABOUR GOVERNMENTS. THERE HAVE BEEN TREMENDOUS CHANGES RIGHT THROUGHOUT THE AREA. SOME WOULD SAY NONE LESS THAN THE CHANGE OF GOVERNMENTS ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY IN NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA. I THINK THESE MEETINGS ARE TREMENDOUSLY IMPORTANT BECAUSE IT

DOES GIVE A CHANCE , AS YOU HAVE RIGHTLY SAID, TO EXAMINE IN RETROSPECT AND IN PROSPECT WHAT THE SITUATION MIGHT WELL BE. IT IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR FRIENDS TO DISCUSS THE THINGS THAT MIGHT RISE, THE THINGS THAT IN THE PAST YOU CAN LEARN FROM THOUGH, I DON'T THINK THAT IT IS WORTHWHILE HAVING A FRIEND IF HE IS JUST GOING TO KEEP TELLING YOU HOW GOOD YOU ARE - THAT'S NOT A FRIEND, THAT THE OLD TIME SIREN THAT LEADS YOU ONTO THE ROCKS. I DON'T THINK THERE IS ANY DIFFICULTIES THAT USA NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA CAN'T DO THESE THINGS. WE HAVE SEVERE DIFFERENCES WITH THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN THE FIELD OF YACHTING AND THE CUP AND WE HAVE SEVERE DIFFERENCES WITH NEW ZEALAND OVER THE MELBOURNE CUP . IF WE CAN SURVIVE THOSE AND WE GENERALLY COME OUT ON THE WORST END OF IT- WE OUGHT TO BE ABLE TO SURVIVE ANYTHING.

PRIME MINISTER: WE COULD PRODUCE MORE CRICKETERS.

SENATOR WILLESEE: BUT MENTIONING DETENTE- PRESIDENT NIXON IN THE FIELD OF DETENTE HAS THROWN OBLIGATION NOT ONLY ON THE BIG NATIONS OF THE WORLD BUT NATIONS LIKE OURS TO FOLLOW INTO THAT BREATH, TO PATCH UP THOSE OTHER AREAS WHICH ARE NOT COVERED BY DETENTE BETWEEN ANY GREAT NATIONS OF THE WORLD. THAT IS WHAT MY OWN GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN DOING SINCE WE HAVE BEEN A GOVERNMENT OVER THE LAST FOURTEEN OR FIFTEEN MONTHS . I SEE THIS AS ONE OF THE BIG OPPORTUNITIES AS WELL AS RESPONSIBILITIES IN THE FUTURE. HOWEVER, WE WILL BE TALKING IN THE NEXT COUPLE OF DAYS AND I DON'T SUPPOSE THIS IS THE PLACE TO BE DISCUSSING IT

BUT IT IS A GREAT PLEASURE TO BE HERE. I LOOK FORWARD TO THE NEXT TWO DAYS WHICH I AM SURE WILL BE TREMENDOUSLY STIMULATING AND LOOK FORWARD TO MY GOVERNMENT.

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QUESTION: MR RUSH, YOU SAID THAT PRESIDENT NIXON BELIEVES THAT YOU SHOULD BE AS STRONG AND AS POSSIBLE. ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT THE UNITED STATES HERE OR ABOUT YOUR ANZUS PARTNERS AS WELL?

SECRETARY RUSH: NO, I DIDN'T SAY AS STRONG AS POSSIBLE. WHAT I SAID WAS THAT ONE OF THE PURPOSES OF MOVING TOWARD DETENTE IS TO AVOID AN ARMS RACE BUT RELATIVELY WE MUST MAINTAIN OUR STRENGTH AGAINST THE SOVIET. OTHERWISE ONE DOES NOT HAVE DETENTE, ONE HAS DOMINATION. THEREFORE WHAT WE INTEND TO DO IS TO AVOID INFERIORITY BY AN AGREEMENT SUCH AS THE SALT AGREEMENT WHICH HELPS CURTAIL ARMS RACES AND AT THE SAME TIME BE SURE THAT WE ARE NOT EITHER QUALITATIVELY OR QUANTITATIVELY INFERIOR BECAUSE THE FREE SOCIETY MUST

BE AS STRONG AS A CLOSE SOCIETY OR IT WILL
NOT BE ABLE TO SURVIVE.

CHINA

QUESTION: MR RUSH, IN YOUR OPENING REMARKS YOU
SEEMED TO CONCENTRATE ON THE SOVIET UNION. DOES
THIS MEAN THAT THE UNITED STATES AS FAR AS ANZUS
IS CONCERNED REGARDS THE SOVIET UNION AS A GREATER
THREAT THAN CHINA?

SECRETARY RUSH: NO. I CONCENTRATED MORE ON THE SOVIET
UNION BECAUSE, AS OF NOW, THE SOVIET UNION IS THE OTHER
REALLY GREAT POWER IN NUCLEAR STRATEGIC ARMS. HOWEVER,
CHINA IS TAKING VERY LONG STRIDES TOWARD DEVELOPMENT
OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. CHINA IS ALSO OF COURSE A CLOSED
SOCIETY AND WITH THE HUGE NUMBERS OF PEOPLE THERE THE
DEVELOPMENT BY CHINA OF A STRONG STRATEGIC FORCE IS NOT
TO BE IGNORED.

QUESTION: WHEN ANZUS WAS FIRST FORMED I BELIEVE THE
IDEA WAS TO PREVENT FURTHER JAPANESE MILITARY
EXPANSION IN THE PACIFIC. FROM AMERICA'S POINT OF
VIEW WHAT WOULD YOU CALL A POSSIBLE MILITARY THREAT
TO THE ANZUS AREA?

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ANZUS

SECRETARY RUSH: THE PURPOSE OF ANZUS AND THE PURPOSE OF
NATO AND OF SUCH ALLIANCES IS TO PREVENT WAR, - TO MAINTAIN
HARMONY IN AN AREA IRRESPECTIVE OF WHERE THE THREAT MAY
COME FROM.

QUESTION: MR KIRK WOULD YOU AGREE WITH THIS ASSESS-
MENT THAT ANZUS' JOB IS TO REMAIN STRONG TO EFFECT
FREE SOCIETY AGAINST A CLOSED SOCIETY?

PRIME MINISTER: THERE IS AN ELEMENT OF GUARANTEE IN THE
ANZUS TREATY SEE IT ALSO NOT AS A DIVISIVE FORCE BUT AS A
A UNITING FORCE. CERTAINLY AS FAR AS OUR GOVERNMENT IS
CONCERNED, WE SEE ANZUS AS AN ESSENTIAL TREATY BUT IN THE
CHANGED CIRCUMSTANCES WE SEE IT AS THE MEANS OF ENDING THE
DIVISIVENESS WHICH IS MORE LIKELY TO THE TREATY
AND TO WORK INSTEAD THROUGH TO A HIGHER LEVEL OF REGIONAL
COOPERATION. CONFRONTATION DOESN'T HEAL WOUNDS IT TENDS
TO OPEN THEM.

QUESTION: MR KIRK, BOTH YOURSELF AND SENATOR

WILLESEE HAVE DESCRIBED ANZUS AS THE CORNER STONE
FOR DEFENCE. IS THIS LIKELY TO REMAIN SO FOR THE
DISTANT FUTURE?

PRIME MINISTER: IF YOU READ THE MANIFESTO IN 1972, AND
I THINK YOU WERE ON EWHO DID, YOUR WILL SEE THE ANZUS
TREATY DESCRIBED AS ESSENTIAL. THAT VIEW HAS NOT CHANGED
AND IT WAS EPXPRESSED AS THE BASIS OF THE POLICY OF THE
NEW ZEALAND LABOUR PARTY.

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QUESTION: SENATOR, DOES AUSTRALIA FOLLOW ALONG
THAT LINE? THAT IT IS ESSENTIAL?

SENATOR WILLESEE: YES I BELIEVE IT IS ESSENTIAL. IT IS
ONE OF THE BINDING FORCES BETWEEN THE THREE NATIONS AND
SHOULDNT BE REGARDED AS THE ONLY BINDING FORCE. IT
IS QUITE OBVIOUS THAT THE THREE NATIONS HAVE MUCH MORE
IN COMMON THAN MERELY THAT. I THINK THE AMERICAN
AMBASSADOR DESCRIBED IT VERY WELL-

THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR IN AUSTRALIA, MARSHALL GRIEVE, WHEN HE WAS TALKING RECENTLY, ABOUT THE INTERTWINING OF AMERICA AND AUSTRALIA AS SUCH THAT THERE IS JUST NO ONE STRAND THAT COULD BE PLUCKED AWAY THAT WOULD MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE TO IT. THE TWO COUNTRIES ARE INTER-TWINED AND I THINK THAT IS MORE SO WITH NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA.

PRIME MINISTER: ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS?
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INDIAN OCEAN

QUESTION: YES. WILL YOU BE LOOKING AT THE INDIAN OCEAN AT ALL?

PRIME MINISTER: I SHOULD IMAGINE IF IT ARISES AT ALL IT WILL ARISE AS PART OF A DISCUSSION OF WORLD POLITICAL CHANGES IN SO FAR AS THEY AFFECT THE ANZUS REGION AND THE ANZUS PARTNERS.

QUESTION: COULD MR RUSH AND SENATOR WILESEE GIVE US THEIR VIEWS ON HOW THEY SEE CAUSE TO ESTABLISH A NUCLEAR FREE ZONE IN THE INDIAN OCEAN?

SECRETARY RUSH: THERE HAS BEEN NO OFFICIAL PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH A NUCLEAR FREE ZONE. IT POSES OF COURSE VERY SERIOUS PROBLEMS. WE ALL HOPE OF COURSE THAT WAR WILL DISAPPEAR FROM THE FACE OF THE EARTH. I THINK WE ALL WISH THAT WE HAD NOT DEVELOPED SUCH A VERY DISASTROUS MEANS OF CONDUCTING WAR AND THREATS, BUT ONE MUCH FACE THE REALITIES OF WHAT DOES EXIST AND WHAT IS BEING DONE; AND , I MIGHT ADD THE SOVIET UNION IS ENGAGED IN A MASSIVE EFFORT TO DEVELOP NEW WEAPONS IN THE STRATEGIC FIELD OF COMPLETELY NEW WEAPONS, NEW FAMILIES OF WEAPONS OF WHICH THEY INTEND TO MIRROR WHICH MAKES THEM FAR MORE DANGEROUS. NOW, WITH REGARD TO NUCLEAR ASPECTS, WE ARE CONVERTING OUR NAVY GRADUALLY TO A NUCLEAR NAVY MUCH OF IT IS THERE ALREADY. OUR SUBMARINES AIRCRAFT CARRIERS AND VARIOUS OTHER NAVAL VESSELS. SO THAT A NUCLEAR FREE ZONE POSES VERY SERIOUS PROBLEMS.

QUESTION: I STHIS IN TERMS, MR RUSH, OF NUCLEAR POWERED VESSELS OR ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT NUCLEAR ARMAMENT?

SECRETARY RUSH: WE OF COURSE NEVER COMMENT ON WHERE NUCLEAR WEAPONS ARE BUT ONE CAN NEVER ASSUME THAT ANY NAVAL VESSEL DOES OR DOES NOT CARRY NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

QUESTION: MR KIRK, IF NEW ZEALAND PRESSED THE
IDEA OF A NUCLEAR WEAPON FREE ZONE IN THE
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PACIFIC WOULD YOU SEE THIS PLACING STRAINS ON
THE ANZUS ALLIANCE IN THE FUTURE N VIEW OF THE
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PRIME MINISTER: I DONT THINK SO. I DONT THINK IT
IS UNDULY MAIVE TO EXPRES THE VIEW THAT CONTINUING
ESCALATION OF ARMS PROBABLY INCREASES THE DANGERS
RATHER THAN REDUCES THEM. ONE WOULD OPE THAT IN A
MORE RELAZED INTERNATIONAL ATMOSPHERE PARTICULAR BETWEEN
THE SUPER-POWERS THAT SOME OF THE FEARS AND THE
SUSPICIONS THAT PROVIDE A LOT OF THE DRIVING FORCE FROM
THAT ESCALATION COULD BE ALLAYED AND THAT BETTER

RELATIONSHIPS MIGHT INDEED SEE THE DRIVE FOR BIGGER AND
STRONGER WEAPONS IN THE SOVIET UNION OR ANYWHERE ELSE
SLOWED DOWN. IT WOULDNT BE THE FIRST NUCLEAR FREE ZONE
IN THE WORLD AND ONE HOPES THAT IF WE CANT APPROACH THE
GOAL OF SOME MOVE TOWARDS DISARMAMENT ON A WORLD BASIS
AT LEAST WE CAN CHOOSE SOME OF THE STEPPING STONES THAT
LEAD IN THAT DIRECTION. I HAVE NO DOUBT THAT THERE ARE
SERIOUS PROBLEMS IN IT AND NO ONE WOULD ARGUE ABOUT THAT
BUT, THE QUESTION IS OF FINDING A WAY THROUGH THOSE
PROBLEMS.

QUESTION: SENATOR WILLESEE, COULD YOU TELL US
YOUR VIEWS ON THE NUCLEAR FREE ZONE PROPOSAL IN
THE INDIAN OCEAN AND AGAIN THE PACIFIC? I
WOULD LIKE YOU TO SEPARATE THE TWO.

SENATOR WILLESEE: FIRSTLY, ON THE FIRST QUESTION YOU RAISED
ON THE PACIFIC I THINK THE PRIME MINISTER'S PREVIOUS
STATEMENT ON LOOKING AT THIS ON A WHOLE GLOBAL QUESTION WOULD
BE THE SORT OF CONTEXT IT WOULD FALL INTO. BY DRAGGING
THIS OUT OF ANY ONE OF THE MANY THINGS WE WILL BE TALKING
ABOUT I THINK YOU HAVE GOT A COMPELTELY WRONG PERSPECTIVE
ON IT.

ON THE INDIAN OCEAN, AS YOU KNOW WE ARE TRYING TO
FIND A WAY THROUGH BECAUSE OF THE SRI LANKAN PROPOSAL
THAT THIS SHOULD BE DOWN AS AN AREA OF PEACE
AUSTRALIA HAS GONE ALONG WITH THAT AS WE HAVE WITH THE
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ASEAN NUTRALITY IDEA IN ITS AREA. WE ARE ON THE COMITE OF THE UN WITH THE SRI LANKANS. BUT ARE THE TWO THAT ARE GENERALLY MENTIONED, HERE ARE QUITE A FEW OF THEM. NOW, THOSE ARE THE REALITIES. AT THE MOMENT IT DOES NOT LOOK PROMISING THAT THE COMITE IS GOING TO GET VERY FAR BUT THAT'S OF NOW, YOU CAN ONLY JUST KEEP TRYING IN THESE THINGS.

QUESTION: MR SUH, THE PLAN TO GO AHEAD WITH CREATING A BASE IN DIEGO GARCIA HAS OCCASIONED SOME CONCERN IN INDIA AND OTHER COUNTRIES OF THE AREA. PLEASE, COULD YOU SAY WHY YOUR GOVERNMENT SEES THIS STEP AS NECESSARY AT THIS TIME?

SECRETARY RUSH: WE ARE NOT CREATING A BASE IN DIEGO GARCIA. WHAT WE HAVE DONE IN THE PAST AND WHAT IS NECESSARY FOR THE FUTURE IS FROM TIME TO TIME TO HAVE VARIOUS NAVAL UNITS IN THE INDIAN OCEAN BECAUSE OTHER POWERS HAVE ACCESS TO THE INDIAN OCEAN AND HAVE THEIR NAVIES GO THERE IN CONSIDERABLE STRENGTH - THE SOVIET UNION OF COURSE BEING THE OUTSTANDING ONE. THE FACILITIES AT DIEGO GARCIA ARE BEING EXPANDED TO EXPAND THE RUNWAY, TO PROVIDE ANCHORAGE AND IN ESSENCE TO PERMIT WHEN OUR VESSELS ARE IN THE INDIAN OCEAN AS SOME OF THEM ARE TO EMIT EMERGENCY REPAIRS, REFUELING, THINGS OF THIS SORT BUT IT IS IN NO SENS A BASE. THE ESTIMATED COST OF THIS EXPANSION AND OF THE ANCHORAGE FACILITIES AND REPAIR FACILITIES IS ABOUT DOLS 29 M . ONE DOES NOT BUILD NAVAL BASES FOR DOLS 29 M . I WISH WE COULD

QUESTION: AMERICAN ?

PRIME MINISTER: WE DO.

SECRETARY RUSH: YES AMERICAN DOLLARS. INCIDENTLY WHICH ARE HARDLY THE SAME AS NEW ZEALAND'S AREAS I FOUND TO MY SORROW SINCE I ARRIVED.

QUESTION: ISNT IT CORRECT MR RUSH THAT BY LENGTHENING THE RUNWAY AT DIEGO GARCIA YOU WOLD THEN HAVE THE FACILITY FOR FLYING OUR P3 ORIONS
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SECRETARY RUSH: BY LENGTHENING THE RUNWAY WE WOULD HAVE ADDITIONAL FACILITIES TO
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